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MEMORANDUM FOR: Assistant Director, Intelligence Coordination
Assistant Director, Collection and Dissemination

SUBJECT : Biographical List of CIA Finished Intelligence for
Policy Makers and Planners

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1. In a brief talk yesterday with [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] I raised the question of why our finished intelligence does not
seem to be getting into the hands of the working levels of the State
Department desks and they agreed the matter could well be explored further.

2. It occurs to me that the best solution would be for us to put
out, in relatively large volume, a weekly biographical list, country by
country or area by area, of the finished intelligence classified no
higher than Secret that had been published by OCI, OIR and ONE. This
list could then be widely distributed in the Departments of State,
Defense, etc., and those interested in a particular item would then
have it brought to their attention and could request IAD or its counter-
part to make the item available to them.

3. Before pursuing this idea outside the Agency, would you
investigate through the AD's concerned its feasibility and their views
as to its desirability.

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